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Specification Amendment

(replacement paragraph for page 3, lines 35-43)

The organism from which the biological material is obtained may be any naturally-occurring or artificially manipulated organism (however propagated or grown). Such an organism may be selected from among the eukaryotes and prokaryotes. Exemplary eukaryotes include, e.g.: fungi (including, e.g., yeasts), vascular and non-vascular plants, animals, and protists (including, e.g., algae, protozoans, zooplankton, phytoplankton, mildews, single-celled animals, amitochondrial eukaryotes). Exemplary prokaryotes include, e.g.: eubacteria (including, e.g., heterotrophic bacteria; cyanobacteria, prochlorophytes, and other photosynthetic bacteria; mycoplasms) and archaeabacteria (including, e.g., halophiles, thermophiles, and methanogens).

